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Analysis Software for Multi-Channel Analyzers

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#### PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.115

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Dear Sir:

Please find attached hereto the following, regarding the above-referenced application:

- Amendments to the Specification to fix errors and clarify the disclosure.
- Replacement Claims.

Applicant has made a diligent effort to place the claims in condition for allowance. However, should there remain unresolved issues that require adverse action, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner telephone Ted Sabety, Applicant's Attorney at 212 481 8686 so that such issues may be resolved as expeditiously as possible.

Respectfully Submitted,

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